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AMENDMENT & RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed October 7, 2008, setting a three (3) month shortened statutory period for response, the Applicant submits the present amendment and response under 37 C.F.R. §1.111.

Claims 1 and 3-40 remain pending in the application. Claims 1, 5, 26, 28, 29, 32, and 38-39 have been amended. No claims have been added or canceled. The Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration and allowance of all pending claims.

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS begin on page 10 of this paper.